

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814



June 30, 1988

ALL COUNTY LETTER NO. 88- 74

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: AFDC HOMELESS ASSISTANCE

REFERENCE: ALL COUNTY LETTER 88-55  
MPP 44-211.5

As you were informed in All County Letter 88-55 (June 7, 1988), the AFDC homeless assistance regulations have been revised with an effective date of July 1, 1988. One of the revisions involves the issuance of vendor payments for homeless assistance payments when it has been established that the assistance unit (AU) mismanaged a previously issued homeless assistance payment (MPP 44-211.519).

Attached is a Notice of Action handbook page (Manual Message No. M44-211F) containing the language to be used when the AU is receiving subsequent payments for temporary shelter and to inform the AU of a change in the type of payment to be issued, i.e. from direct cash to vendor payment, two-party or restrictive endorsement check, or voucher payments. We do not plan to have this message varityped.

Attachment A is an excerpt from the handbook page. The excerpt can be used in combination with messages M44-211B or M44-211C, transmitted in All County Letter 88-04 (January 13, 1988), to inform the AU of the change in the form of the homeless assistance payment from a direct cash payment to a payment to third parties.

Translated versions of both M44-211F and Attachment A will be forthcoming under separate cover.

If you have questions about homeless assistance, please contact Judy Moore at (916) 324-2017 or ATSS 454-2017.

  
ROBERT A. HOREL  
Deputy Director

cc: CWDA

Attachments

State of California:  
Department of Social Services

Manual Reg. No.: M44-211F  
Action : Approve  
Reason: Homeless Eligibility  
Title: Temporary Shelter  
Additional Payments  
Form No. : NA 290  
Effective Date : 06/01/88  
Revision Date : New

Auto ID No. :  
Flow Chart No. :  
Source : Homeless Regs  
Regulation Cite: MPP 44-211.5

MESSAGE: As of \_\_\_\_\_, the County has approved your request for more homeless aid for temporary shelter.

The amount of your homeless aid is \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and is figured on this notice.

You may be able to get homeless aid for permanent housing when you find a place to live. You need to bring in a note from the landlord telling how much your rent will be.

[ ] If you do not find a permanent place to live by \_\_\_\_\_, you may be able to get more temporary shelter aid. Come back to this office no later than \_\_\_\_\_.

[ ] This is your last payment. You can't get homeless aid for temporary shelter again until \_\_\_\_\_.

[ ] You got homeless aid and didn't prove you spent it on housing. You won't be paid directly for the cost of your housing. \$ \_\_\_\_\_ will go to housing, which leaves \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for you. Your housing payment will be a:

- [ ] Vendor payment
- [ ] Two-party check
- [ ] Voucher payment
- [ ] Other:

Temporary Shelter Aid  
Amount per night: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Nights: x \_\_\_\_\_  
Total Temporary  
Shelter Aid: = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

INSTRUCTIONS: Use to approve additional nonrecurring special need (homeless assistance) payments for temporary shelter and to inform the client of a change in payment delivery.

Complete the fill-in items and check boxes to inform the applicant of the temporary shelter payment conditions.

Use the right hand column to show the Temporary Shelter Aid computation part of the message.

ATTACHMENT A

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